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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a five-month extension of time be granted in which to file a Request for Continued Examination. A Notice of Appeal in response to the outstanding Office Action mailed November 3, 2006 was filed on May 3, 2007, said period of response being extended from July 3, 2007 to December 3, 2007.

Please charge \$2230.00 extension of time fee for a large entity and any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

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